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AFDROUGHT

E.O. 11652: N/A

SUBJECT: GAMBIA FOOD AID

REF: (A) STATE 103133, (B) LONDON 5241

1' WE HAVE DISCUSSED REF (A) WITH MINISTRY FOR OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT (ODM). ODM OFFICIAL, NOTING THAT GAMBIA HAS ASKED EC FOR 13,000 MT OF GRAINS REF B), SAID THAT BRITISH HAVE DOUBTS ABOUT GAMBIAN ABILITY ABSORB MORE THAN 6,000 MT. ODM ALSO SUSPECTS THAT NEED DOES NOT EXIST, BUT THAT GAMBIANS FEAR THAT NEED MAY ARISE LATER IN YEAR AND ARE TRYING PREPARE FOR SUCH A CONTINGENCY.

2. ODM IS AWAITING FURTHER INFORMATION FROM GAMBIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE BEFORE REACHING DECISION. WE WILL REPORT AS SOON AS DECISION REACHED'

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